



## Grayling Shocked By Death of Young Mother

Shocking news came over the wires Sunday morning from Reed City, telling of the passing at 2:00 o'clock that morning of Mrs. Kathryn Brown-Wurzburg, at the Reed City hospital. The young woman had been ill with streptococcus infection of the throat for four weeks; complications set in Saturday that made the case a hopeless one and relatives from Grayling were called that night to her bedside. Her mother, Mrs. Andrew Brown, however, had been with her daughter from the time she was taken ill. The message brought sadness to countless hearts in Grayling as it seems just about everyone, young and old, knew "Katie" as she was familiarly known.

Born in Frederic on August 9, 1902, her entire life was spent in Crawford county, she coming to Grayling with her parents when she was a child. She attended Grayling schools and after leaving school joined the clerking force at the Central Drug Store, where for many years she was a familiar figure. On November 2, 1932, her marriage to Mr. Daniel Wurzburg of Northport occurred, and she left Grayling to reside in Manistee, later in Rockford and two years ago, Mr. Wurzburg, who is a member of the State Constabulary, was transferred to the Reed City post.

Even after leaving Grayling Mrs. Wurzburg came home frequently and their two little daughters, Yvonne, age 4, and Marlene, age 2, were born in Grayling. There is nothing so sad than to have a mother parted from young children, and this is the case of this young wife and mother; she has been snatched from two lovely little daughters.

who will as years roll on, miss that mother's love and guidance. Mrs. Wurzburg was a beautiful mother and homemaker.

Funeral services were held in Reed City Tuesday morning and the remains brought to Grayling for services at Michelson Memorial church that afternoon. Many from Reed City accompanied the remains, and the church was filled to capacity with sorrowing relatives and friends. The remains lie in state in the church amidst what seemed a beautiful garden; there was such an abundance of flowers, all symbols of the sincere sympathy of hosts of friends.

Rev. Arthur Gay of Fremont, Mich., an old friend of the Brown family for a long number of years, delivered a very impressive sermon, and Mrs. Roy Milnes, accompanied by Mrs. C. G. Clippert beautifully rendered: "Asleep In Jesus" and "In the Sweet Bye and Bye".

Young men, who were former pupils of Mrs. Wurzburg, when she taught Sunday school in this same church, were the pallbearers: Arthur May, Myron Burrows, Kenneth Gothro, Gordon Ford, Gerald Herrick, and Alfred Sorenson. Members of the State Police of Reed City were honorary pallbearers. Interment was in Traverse City.

Surviving the deceased besides her husband and the two young daughters are her mother, Mrs. Andrew Brown and three brothers, John of Ann Arbor, and Roy and Carlyle of Grayling.

There are numerous relatives and friends who came from a distance to attend the services, and among them were Mr. Wurzburg's mother, Mrs. Eva Wurzburg, of Northport; Mr. and Mrs. John Brown of Ann Arbor; Mrs. Minnie Rankin, Johannesburg, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Lambert, and son, Mrs. Roy Reynolds, Flint; Mrs. Alice Rook, Columbiaville; Mrs. Lenabelle Struble, Mt. Pleasant; Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Wurzburg and family of Charlotte, N. C.; Mr. and Mrs. Willard Wurzburg, of West Virginia.

## AGED RESIDENT PASSED AWAY

A well known resident of Grayling for a half century, Mrs. Julia LaVenture, passed away at her home Saturday at the age of 81. She had only been seriously ill for about two weeks and died of arterio sclerosis.

Julia Gonieu was born in Bangor, Maine, December 2, 1856.

She was united in marriage to Solomon LaVenture, and to this union three daughters were born.

Some twenty years ago Mr. LaVenture passed away.

Funeral services were held at the family residence Tuesday, October 11, at 11 a. m., Rev. Fr. James Moloney of St. Mary's church officiating. Burial was in Elmwood cemetery. Those surviving are the daughters, Mrs. Marie Hinkley, Grayling; Mrs. Fred Galbraith, Mrs. Bert Compeau, Wyandotte, and seven grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. Pallbearers were Russell Beck, Norman Bancroft, Jake Hanselman, John LaMotte, David Perry, and Peter Lovely.

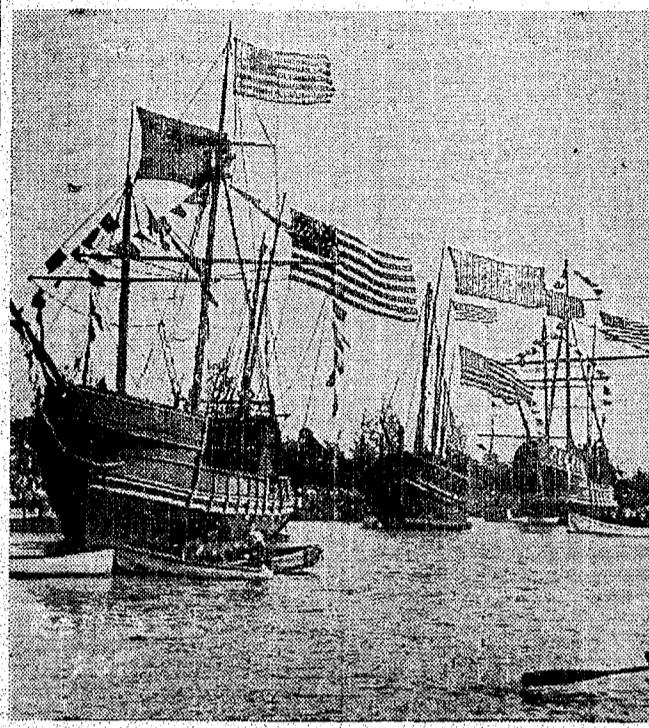
Besides the family there are many people in Grayling who will miss Mrs. LaVenture as she always went for her daily walk. As old as she was she never missed a walk every day, unless illness kept her home.

The family have the sympathy of many friends in their bereavement.

## A SIXTEEN-PAGE PICTORIAL SECTION

If you like photographs that tell a story, see the 16-page Pictorial Rotogravure Section of Sunday's Detroit News. A 16-page Comic Section with the Nation's outstanding features, Michigan's largest General News Section, Wild Life, Society, Travel, Automobile, Sports and other sections combine to make the Sunday News the biggest and best Sunday newspaper. Be sure to get a copy.

## Celebration of Columbus Day Recalls Three Famed Replicas



Each year, as America observes Columbus Day, attention is focused on Jackson Park in Chicago, where stands the sole survivor of three caravels—exact replicas of Columbus' Pinta, Niña and Santa María—which were constructed in Spain for the Columbian exposition. The Pinta and Niña were destroyed by fire in 1919 but the Santa María (in the background) is still afloat. The boats in which Columbus made his pioneering voyage are dwarfed by modern ocean liners. For comparison, note the rowboats in foreground.

## Mrs. Fournier Follows Husband In Death Would Defeat Welfare Amendment

MRS. JOEL FOURNIER SUC-  
CUMBS FOLLOWING LONG  
ILLNESS

Mrs. Violet Fournier, widow of the late Joel Fournier, passed away at her home at 10:00 o'clock Saturday morning following a long illness, having been confined to her bed for several weeks. Mrs. Fournier was preceded in death by her husband, just four weeks ago, he passing away on Sept. 6.

Funeral services for the deceased were held Monday morning with a requiem mass at St. Mary's church, Rev. Fr. James Moloney officiating. Interment was in Elmwood cemetery and pallbearers were the same as those who bore Mr. Fournier to his last resting place: Conrad and Harry Sorenson, Carl Jensen, Earl Nelson, George Bielski and Frank LaMotte.

Mrs. Fournier's maiden name was Violet Breathore and she was born in New Market, Ontario. She was united in marriage to Joel Fournier in 1911, and they came to Grayling in 1913 and this had been their home since. Last fall Mrs. Fournier's daughter Mrs. Boyes built a comfortable home for her parents and they seemed to be enjoying life when both were taken ill and passed away within a short time of each other.

Surviving the deceased are her daughter Mrs. Cecil Boyes of Winnipeg, Manitoba, who has been at her mother's bedside ever since she was taken ill; her son Claude Cardinal, Grayling, one sister Mrs. Angie Cannif, Cardinal; one brother, Frank Cardinal, Saginaw; two grandchildren, Miss Wanda Cardinal, Grayling, and Gerald Cardinal, Detroit, all of whom have the sympathy of many friends.

All of the above were in attendance at the funeral together with Mr. Boyes of Winnipeg; Joseph Fournier, Mrs. Abner Wilyard, Mrs. Vina Lepan, Bay City; Mr. and Mrs. William Weaver, Mr. and Mrs. Levi Duso, Flint; Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Ammon, Mrs. Rose Deitiker, Mrs. Mary Cardinal, Misses Doris and Genevieve Ammon, Bruce Archangle, Mrs. Laura Bauer, Saginaw.

Mrs. Fournier was very patient during her long illness. She was a woman who spent most of her time in her home and she had many friends as was shown by the score of spiritual bouquets and abundance of flowers that covered her casket.

## Dr. Hathaway Optometrist

Dr. Hathaway, Optometrist, Pontiac, Michigan, will be in Grayling October 13th and 14th, at his office in

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Phone 55 for appointments.

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## Legion-Auxiliary Held Joint Installation

Grayling Post No. 106 and the Women's Auxiliary held a joint installation of officers at the Legion hall Monday night, and at the same time entertained a number of out-of-town visitors. They had the pleasure of having the newly elected district committeeman, Ernest Andrews, of West Branch here for the evening. Comrade Andrews acted as installing officer for the Post's installation, and was assisted by Gus Sachos, who is district sergeant-at-arms, Earl Dawson, commander, and Bernard Towner, adjutant of Ogemaw Post, and Louis Meyers of St. Helen. The visiting comrades are all members of Ogemaw Post, and they came clad in regulation uniforms and made the installation ceremony one of the most impressive the local post has had in some time.

For the ladies' ceremony, Mrs. Earl Dawson of West Branch acted as installing officer and this was also carried out very nicely. Other lady visitors were Mrs. Andrews, Mrs. Fred Tinker and Mrs. Edward Oliver, all of the Ogemaw Auxiliary. Following the ceremony, Mrs. Dawson was presented with a corsage of varicolored snapdragons.

When the meeting adjourned the crowd went to the dining room for pot luck lunch, served on long tables centered with bouquets of snapdragons. Grayling Post's new commander, John McMillan, acting as toastmaster, called on a number for remarks and many impromptu talks were given. District Committeeman Andrews gave a summary of the many activities ahead for the various Posts in the 10th district for the year.

Mrs. Samuel Rasmussen expressed her appreciation to Mrs. Dawson, and said that the evening was made a very pleasant one by the presence of the visitors. Other speakers included Mrs. Dawson, Mr. Meyers, Past commanders Earl Wood and John Erkes, Charles Moore and Clarence Johnson. The latter told of the plans being made for the Drum corps to be in attendance at the national convention in 1939 in Chicago. He said a committee had already made application for reservations, and plans will soon go forth to raise funds to finance the trip. So it looks as though the City of Grayling will be well represented at the Chicago convention.

The new year begins with memberships in the Post and Auxiliary rolling in fast, and officers and members are showing a lot of enthusiasm to carry on the year's work, so it looks like a banner year.

Officers of Grayling Post for 1939 are:

Post Commander—John McMillan.

Vice Com.—Edwin Carlson.

Adjutant—Otto Failing.

Finance Officer—Wilfred Laurant.

Chaplain—Neil Mathews.

Sergeant-at-arms—Harold Hatfield.

Officers of the Auxiliary are:

President—Mrs. Samuel Rasmussen.

1st Vice Pres.—Mrs. Carlton Wythe.

2nd Vice Pres.—Mrs. Charles Tinker.

Sec'y—Mrs. Alfred Hanson.

Treas.—Mrs. J. L. Martin.

Chaplain—Mrs. John Erkes.

Sergeant-at-arms—Mrs. Leo Jorgenson.

Tawas and the State convention at Detroit. A Campfire Girls party was held at Christmas and clothing was donated to the Michigan Children's Aid.

This report showed activity and results and was one of the most commendable given.

Mrs. Stealy also acted on the nominating committee during the convention, of which Mrs. A. E. Mulder of Clare was chairman and the other member was Mrs. E. S. Evans of East Tawas.

Miss Frances Garvey of Alpena was reelected president and Mrs. F. E. Kunze of East Tawas reelected vice-president. Mrs. Lloyd Wagner and Mrs. Henry Gardiner of Harrison were elected secretary and treasurer, respectively, succeeding Mrs. W. H. Caple of Clare and Miss Bertha Sartorius of Midland.

A home talent play was produced and \$8 dollars cleared after payment of the royalty. This play "Howdy Stranger" was seen on the local screen with the title of "The Cowboy From Brooklyn." A musical tea was sponsored and a delegate sent to the district meeting at East

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At 10:00 a. m.—Bible School.

At 11:00 a. m.—Public worship.

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H. W. Kuhlman, Pastor.

## Leslie-Feldhauser.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Feldhauser announce the marriage of their oldest daughter Miss Marguerite, to Mr. Donald Leslie, son of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Leslie of Beaver Creek. The wedding was performed at Marion, Mich., on October 5th, and the couple were attended by Mr. and Mrs. David French.

The bride was born in Grayling and is a graduate of Grayling High school. Hosts of friends extend congratulations and best wishes. The young couple have already gone to housekeeping in Beaver Creek.

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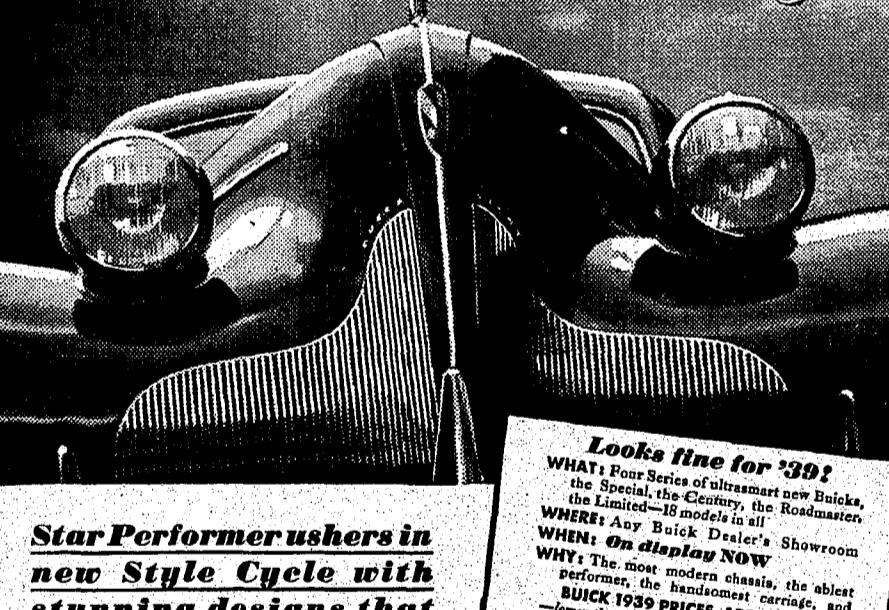
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YOUNG REPUBLICANS WANT

ED O. L. SMITH

The Republican state convention held at Grand Rapids last week nominated Thomas Reed of Shelby for attorney general. This was quite in opposition to the wishes of the young Republicans of the state who wanted the nomination to go to O. L. Smith of Detroit.

We have no personal objection to Mr. Reed whose service as lieutenant governor in 1921 and 1922 and 1924 and 1925, was well accepted. And we can't criticize Mr. Reed for accepting the nomination for attorney general. But we don't like the way it was done. When such politicians as Barnard of Detroit and McKegan of Flint can dominate their wiley delegations so as to nominate a man whom they appear to believe will use the influence of his office to make Michigan a wide-open state for gambling, then we can only say that we think it is rotten. We like Tom Reed personally and it is hard to believe that he will lend himself to such influence, but, if elected he will either do the bidding of that gang or else—? As stated before, the Young Republicans wanted the nomination to go to O. L. Smith, one of the most able young attorneys of the state, and one whom is every inch a statesman and not a politician. If Mr. Reed is defeated at the polls next November, just blame it to the fact that Michigan voters are not going to be stampeded at the polls as the Wayne and Genesee county delegates appeared to have been at the state Republican convention.

We don't know Mr. Kelly who was nominated for the office of secretary of state, except that he is known as a man of exceptional executive ability. He has been a strong contender for the honors of National commander of the American Legion. That in itself is the highest kind of endorsement for him. We have known intimately his opponent, Leon Case, the present incumbent, for over 25 years and always considered him a man of the highest type. However, he appears to have fallen for the influence of politicians and has loaded up his offices with employees until there is hardly space for them to work. With a force that is reported to be double that ever serving before, the service of the secretary of state's office doesn't seem to be one whit better than ever before. And the people have to pay for it. Mr. Case certainly seemed to care more for the needs of deserv-

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### Womans Club

A special meeting of the Womans Club was held at the home of Mrs. C. J. McNamara Monday evening.

The teachers of our public schools will be guests of the club at a pot luck dinner at Michelson Memorial church Tuesday evening, Oct. 18, at six-thirty o'clock. Members and their husbands are urged to attend. Please bring food sufficient for three persons.

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ing partisans than he did for efficiency in office.

We haven't the slightest idea of criticizing Mr. Gundry in the conduct of his office as auditor general. He is a candidate to succeed himself. However it seems perfectly obvious that it is impossible for anyone to learn just how Michigan stands financially. The only evidence we have that nobody will dispute is the claim that Michigan is deep in the red, and that made it necessary for the Governor to go to the cost of calling a special session of the legislature in order to raise money for necessary expenses. The nomination of Vernon J. Brown of Mason for auditor general was, in our belief, the most outstanding accomplishment of the Republican state convention.

Mr. Brown seems especially qualified for this work and we will predict that if elected he will know how Michigan's finances stand and the people will be able to find out for themselves, too, with accuracy. Michigan needs a "watch dog of the treasury" and we believe Mr. Brown would be just that and nobody would stop him.

We are not in politics and it makes no difference to us who is elected except that, like other interested taxpayers, we are interested in the election of capable and honest statesmen in high offices and not politicians. We are quite fed up on the fellows who have to follow the dictates of political leaders and fail to do their own thinking.

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## Personals

Porter McCall of Detroit spent the week end visiting Miss Elizabeth Kraus.

Elmer Fenton was home over the week end from C.S.T.C., Mt. Pleasant.

Mrs. Andrew Smith, of Saginaw, was the week end guest of Mrs. N. Schjotz.

Big money savings at our 1c Sale—Oct. 19 to 22nd inclusive.

Mac & Gidley, druggists.

Mrs. Ellen Failing is spending a couple of weeks visiting in Bay City and Detroit.

Miss Jerrine Peterson was home from C.S.T.C., Mt. Pleasant, for the week end.

Mrs. James Lynch went to Bay City Monday to serve on the Grand Jury for the fall term.

Tony Mitello, of Bay City, and Willard Harwood spent Monday in Traverse City on business.

George Burke, Morgan Paige, and Esmond Stiles spent Thursday and Friday in Bay City and Saginaw on business.

Make your selections now for Fall Plantings! Charlevoix County Nursery (near Ironton Ferry), 6 miles S. E. of Charlevoix.

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The Misses Beatrice Peterson and Ruth Benware, of C.S.T.C., Mt. Pleasant, spent the week end visiting their parents.

Miss Ada Freeman, of Lansing, Miss Dorothy Brown, of Rochester, spent the week end visiting Mr. and Mrs. Eshern Olson.

Mr. and Mrs. James Burb and Mr. and Mrs. John Keller, of Mt. Pleasant, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Lynch.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Marshall, Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Lantz, of Mt. Pleasant, spent the week end at their respective cabins on the AuSable.

Miss Phyllis Hewitt of Cadillac visited among her young friends here over the week end, a guest of her grandmother, Mrs. Thomas Cassidy.

Miss Virginia Charron, who is attending C.S.T.C., Mt. Pleasant, spent the week end visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Charron.

Mrs. Chas. Tiffin, of West Branch, and Mrs. James Hill of Sault Ste. Marie, spent Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Willard Harwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Herluf Sorenson returned Monday from a few days in Muskegon, visiting the latter's sister, Mrs. O. A. Samuelson, and family.

Mrs. Hanna Askins who has been in Detroit for the past two months visiting her daughter, Mrs. Stanley Bayon, remained to Grayling to remain indefinitely.

Mrs. Sarah E. Milne had as her guests last Saturday and Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. James Pratt and Mr. and Mrs. August Marin of Bay City. Mrs. Milne returned to Bay City with them for the week.

Miss Margrethe Nielsen is enjoying a two weeks' vacation from her duties as cashier at the Grayling State Savings Bank, leaving Friday on a trip to Salt Lake City, Denver, and Colorado Springs.

It's Planting time and ideal conditions now! Visit the Nursery to know the better types of evergreens, trees and shrubs and flowers. Charlevoix County Nursery, 6 miles S. E. of Charlevoix (Near Ironton Ferry). 10-6-4

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnow Hanson, and Mr. and Mrs. Don Reynolds spent the week end visiting in Detroit. While there they drove over to Ann Arbor and visited Lilian Smock who is a patient at University hospital.

Cecil Boyes, returned to Winnipeg, Manitoba, where he is a railroad dispatcher, Tuesday morning after being here for ten days, called by the serious illness of his wife's mother, Mrs. Joel Fournier, who passed away Saturday.

Mrs. Sarah E. Milne entertained last Wednesday Mrs. Carl Sorenson, Mrs. Emelia Sorenson and Mrs. Nick Schjotz at a luncheon. Cards were enjoyed in the afternoon, playing "Help your neighbor." Mrs. Carl Sorenson won the honors.

Mrs. John Sova, of Bay City, an old friend of Mrs. Henry Bouson, came unexpectedly Saturday to pay the latter a visit, but found the home under quarantine. However Mrs. Sova remained over the week end and was entertained at the David Montour home.

HALLOWEEN FROLIC

Plans are going forth for a Hallowe'en frolic to be held at the Grayling Golf Club on Tuesday evening, November 1. Committees have been selected as follows. Invitations: Mrs. Roy Milnes, Miss Margaret Bauman; Lunch: Mrs. Wm. Hill, Mrs. O. P. Schumann, Mrs. O. W. Hanson; Music: Miss Jayne Keayport, Miss Georgianna Olson; House: Wilhelm Raas.

## News Briefs

Roy Trudgeon attended the Kiwanis convention held at Ann Arbor the first of the week. Roy was a delegate for the local club.

Twenty-three years ago tomorrow Grayling had its first snowstorm of the season. That weather is much in contrast to the fine Indian summer days we are enjoying today.

A daughter arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schmidt Monday morning. There already are three daughters in the family and it seems it is hard to agree on a name for the newcomer.

The Woman's Home Missionary Society met Oct. 12 at the home of Mrs. Elsie Peterson with fifteen present. The lessons this year are on "The Quest for New Horizons in Christian Living."

The ladies made plans for an apron sale to be held sometime in the near future. Watch for the date.

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The famous Hudepohl beer may be purchased by the bottle or case from Burrows Market and the Cash and Carry Store. And over the bar at the Fischer Hotel. You'll like this well aged, mellow, high quality beer. It is really an export beer and one that does not leave one with a headache. Just try a case and you'll want more.

The Cheboygan Observer has taken a contract to print an edition of the Bible. Few small city printing establishments have ever had such a privilege. And we know that Al Weber and his assistants will do a good job of it. And Al acknowledges that they may be benefitted (spiritually) because of a closer knowledge of all the good book contains.

Tuesday evening a group of young people met at the Danish parsonage to enjoy an evening together. Games of all sorts were played. Late in the evening a tasty lunch was served buffet style, after which everyone gathered in the living room to sing some of the old songs. Everyone enjoyed themselves immensely and another such party is being planned for Hallowe'en at the Danebod Hall.

The first Appreciation Day event took place Wednesday night at 9:30 o'clock. And what a mob there was! One would have that a circus parade was passing. As there are eleven more of these events scheduled, we wonder if there will be a place in Grayling big enough to accommodate the crowds. This is being sponsored by 24 of Grayling's merchants. Watch for the "Appreciation Day" signs on the store windows.

Mrs. Louis Kesseler and daughter Margaret were in Ann Arbor Monday and Tuesday, where Mrs. Kesseler consulted a specialist concerning a growth on her nose. Her son Joseph drove down Tuesday to accompany her home and Mrs. Liland Smock went with him to visit for a short time with Mr. Smock, whom she found resting comfortably, after having undergone an operation on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gaylord and daughter Miss Ruth, while a few days at their Lake Margrethe cabin on Lake Margrethe, entertained Mrs. Gar Wood of Detroit and Mrs. Glenn Kerr of New York City. Mr. Gar Wood, accompanied by Mr. Glenn Bassett, one of the chief executives of the Gar Wood Industries, flew here for a brief visit Sunday. Mr. Wood piloted his own twin-motor aquaplane and made a perfect landing in front of the Gaylord cottage on Lake Margrethe. It is our belief that that was the first landing of an aquaplane on that lake. Mrs. Wood and Mrs. Kerr returned to Detroit with Mr. Wood in the plane.

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CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks to neighbors and friends for their kindness and sympathy, and beautiful floral offerings in our recent sorrow.

Mr. Dan Wurzburg and Daughters.

Mrs. Andrew Brown and Family.

Mrs. Eva Wurzburg.

GRAYLING LUTHERAN CHURCH

Sunday, October 16, 1938

Sunday School—9:30 a. m.

English Service—11:00 a. m.

Confirmation class meets Saturday at 9:00 a. m.

C. Stockholm, Pastor.

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We wish to extend our sincere thanks and appreciation to our neighbors and friends for their sympathy and beautiful floral offerings during the illness and death of our dear mother.

Mrs. Marie Hinkley, Mrs. Bert Compeau, Mrs. Fred Galbraith.

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Give yourself the best and enjoy the worship service.

H. W. Kuhlman, Pastor.

## SENATOR CALLAGHAN OPPOSED TO WELFARE AMENDMENT

Last week Senator D. Hall Brake, author of the proposed welfare amendment, talked at the Kiwanis club luncheon on that bill that is to come before the voters in the November election. Yesterday Senator Miles Callaghan talked to the same group on the same subject. The latter pointed out the fallacies of the amendment and, after paying a fine tribute to Senator Brake, said that on that subject they did not agree. Senator Callaghan urged the Kiwanians to oppose the amendment, and explained that by its defeat, a new bill will have to be presented to the next legislature. At that time the legislators will better understand what the people want and no doubt an act will be passed that will come near to meeting the wishes of the general public. The present bill has as its principal backers, people who are holding welfare jobs, said the Senator.

The proposed amendment, that is so voluminous that it would require a whole page of the Avalanche to reprint it, is so confusing that he, Senator Callaghan, believed that if it were reviewed by four able attorneys that no two would be of the same opinion regarding its contents. Whatever action may be proposed by the local welfare boards, who look at it from the interest of the people at home, could only go into effect after "approval" by the state board.

## Interesting Events In Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE FILES OF THE AVALANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO

Thursday, October 14, 1915

The first snow of the season fell Friday morning.

E. G. Clark and George N. Olson left on a business trip to Detroit.

Miss Zina Smith is assisting in the Frank Dresse store, as is also Miss Nellie Charlefour.

Miss Rosanna Sachs, who left for Detroit several weeks ago, now has a position in a millinery establishment in that city.

Henry Gignac resumed his duties at the Burton Hotel as night clerk Monday, after being at his home in Cheboygan.

Mrs. Wilhelm Raae, Mrs. Robert Roblin and Miss Mabel Braze are attending the Grand Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star held at Battle Creek this week. Mrs. Raae is the delegate from the local Chapter.

Mrs. Constance Johnson of Beaver Creek and Mrs. John Wahlstrom, have re-opened the Scandinavian Hotel, that was formerly the McKay house.

Invitations are out for the wedding of Miss Anna Olson to Mr. Ditlev Nikolin Schjotz, to be held at the Danish-Lutheran church Wednesday evening, October 20th. A wedding reception at the Danebod hall will follow the marriage ceremony.

A new steam bath house has been started on the South Side and is being conducted by Mr. and Mrs. Adam Hydylainen. This is the only one of its kind in Grayling.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Roblin left Saturday for Bay City to attend the funeral of Engineer Thomas Weir.

Miss Elizabeth Finn of Bay City was a guest of Mrs. Carl Michelson and other friends here Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Feldhauser entertained the members of the G.A.R. at their farm home down

into his store building this week. C. Duby who has been ill with typhoid fever for six weeks, is able to be out of doors again.

Hazel Grace the 5 months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Bennett died Wednesday morning Oct. 6. The little body was laid to rest in Elmwood cemetery.

### Loveless (23 Years Ago)

Mrs. Sullivan and Miss Goodale enjoyed a day last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Griffins.

Miss Foley, Gertrude Foley, Margaret Douglas, and T. E. Douglas spent Sunday at the Foley farm.

Judson and Mike McCormick, Chas. Rae, Blanche Goodale and Florence McCormick attended the dance at Red Oak Friday night.

Dean Redhead of Detroit, is enjoying a short vacation with his parents at their home on the main stream.

A very pretty party was given by Mrs. Nephew Saturday the occasion being the birthday anniversary of her son Francis. A delicious supper was served to about twenty-four guests.

### Beaver Creek

(Too late for last week)

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Cook and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Skingley left Tuesday for a trip to Canada.

They stopped at the Soo, Mich., to spend a day with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Morris. Mrs. Morris was the former Dorothy Howes. Continuing they took the King's Highway, No. 17, now under construction along Lake Superior.

They also camped in the mountains, continuing their trip on the following day, arriving home Friday evening. They claim to have had a fine trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Rockefeller were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Skingley Sunday evening for a fish dinner, given by the Skingleys as a farewell party as Mr. and Mrs. Rockefeller are leaving soon for California for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Yack entertained friends from Midland over the week end.

Four Billion Nickels Issued

If all the pure nickel coins minted in the world since 1881 were put together in one huge pile, they would weigh over 44,000,000 pounds. Since the first coin was struck in Switzerland 54 years ago, more than 4,000,000,000 pieces have been issued.

(23 Years Ago)

Mrs. R. Wolcott and her mother Mrs. J. Ingram, left for Saginaw Wednesday.

H. Swaffield, the south side grocer, expects to move his family

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### STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Crawford.

At a session of said court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Grayling in said county, on the 18th day of September, A. D. 1938.

Present: Hon. Charles E. Moore, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Charles R. Wallace, deceased.

Laura Wallace having filed in said court her petition praying that said court adjudicate and determine who were at the time of his death the legal heirs of said deceased and entitled to inherit the real estate of which said deceased died seized.

It is ordered, that the 17th day of October A. D. 1938, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford Avalanche, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

Charles E. Moore, Judge of Probate.

A true copy.

Charles E. Moore, Judge of Probate.

9-22-4

### IN GREAT DEMAND

A young actor applied for work to the casting director of the Big Noise Film company.

"Nothing doing at present," said the big man. "See me in two months' time."

"If you really want me you'd better sign me on now," replied the actor, "there are lots of other companies after me."

"Oh?" queried the director doubtfully. "And what companies are they?"

"The gas company, the water company and the electric light company,"—Stray Stories Magazine.

### SPECIALIST'S VICTIM



Doctor—Aren't you the same person I treated last year?

Ex-Patient—No, not the same—and never will be again, I fear.

Double Fault

"Yes," said Mrs. Newkirk, "my husband is awfully careless. He's always losing the buttons off his clothes."

"Perhaps," replied Mrs. Oldstyle, "the buttons are not sewn on carefully."

"That's another trouble," was the reply. "Jack's so terribly slovenly with his sewing, too."

Johnny Knew

The wealthy uncle was visiting the family, and Johnny kept insisting that the uncle take him fishing.

"But why do you ask? I don't have any tackle," said the uncle.

"Sure you do!" Johnny exclaimed.

"Everybody says your pockets are lined with fishhooks,"—Houston Post.

### A Lap Ahead of Her

Time: 12:30 a. m.—Scene: (It's so dark in the parlor we can't tell)

Mother (from upstairs)—Susie! Remember what I told you—if that young man gets fresh, squelch him properly!

Susie (after a moment)—Yes, Mother. I'll sit on him!

### Variety

"Your boy, Josh, says he's going to town to seek employment."

"Yep," answered Farmer Cottontail, "I don't blame him. Everybody feels occasionally like gettin' away an' lookin' fur work 'stid o' stayin' where he knows it'll be waitin' for him regular."—Washington Star.

### Postponed Ablution

Mother—Junior, you didn't wash your face this morning.

Efficiency Expert's Little Boy—No, mother—I heard you say we were going to have grapefruit for breakfast.

### SILLY QUESTION



"She is a perfect picture!"  
"Painted by nature or herself?"

### Got Left

Fitzjones—Did you go to the theater last evening, Percy?

DeBrown—No; I attended a slight-of-hand performance.

Fitzjones—Where?

DeBrown—I went to call on Miss Le Smythe, and offered her my hand, but she slighted it.

### Nice Manners

Mama—I was glad to see you remembered not to throw the orange peel on the floor of the bus, Johnny.

Johnny—Yes, mother, I remembered what you said about being neat. I put it in the pocket of the man in the next seat.

### Acquaintances

An enthusiastic golfer came home to dinner. During the meal his wife said:

"Willie tells me he caddied for you this afternoon."

"Well, do you know," said Willie's father, "I thought I'd seen that boy before."—El Paso Times.

### High Class

"Boy, have we got a ritzy secretary at our office!" writes Hector. "When she wants to find out who's calling on the phone, she asks very loftily: 'This is Mister Whom?'"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

### Splendid

Father—And what are your prospects?

Suitor—Splendid, sir, unless your daughter has been misleading me.—Philadelphia Bulletin.

### Prudent

Wife—I want some money.

Hubby—Say, what did you do with that last dollar I gave you?

Wife—I spent 37 cents in 1936, 40 cents in 1937, and 23 cents this year.

### LAND SALE—DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION FOR THE STATE OF MICHIGAN

Notice is hereby given, that pursuant to the provisions of Sections 127 and 131, of the General Tax Law, certain abandoned tax land, situated in the county of Crawford, and deeded to the State by the Auditor General, has been withdrawn from homestead entry by the Auditor General and Director of Conservation, acting jointly, examined and appraised, and will be placed on the market by offering the same at a Public Auction to be held at the County Court House, Grayling, Michigan, October 26, 1938, at three o'clock in the afternoon, Eastern Standard Time.

As required by Act 152, P. A. 1933, a list of the property to be offered at this auction is on file in the county treasurer's office at Grayling, Michigan. Lists also available at Lansing Conservation Department office.

Dated September 16, A. D. 1938.

Charles E. Moore, Judge of Probate.

### STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Crawford.

In the matter of the estate of George Biggs, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that 4 months from the 16th day of September A. D. 1938, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court, at the probate office, in the City of Grayling in said county, on or before the 30th day of January, A. D. 1939, and that said claims will be heard by said court on Monday the 30th day of January, A. D. 1939, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated September 16, A. D. 1938.

Charles E. Moore, Judge of Probate.

### STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the county of Crawford.

At a session of said court, held

at the probate office in the City of Grayling in said county, on the 12th day of September, A. D. 1938.

Present: Hon. Charles E. Moore, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of

David Peterson, deceased.

It appearing to the Court that

the time for presentation of the claims against said estate should be limited and that a time and place be appointed to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against said deceased by and before said court:

It is Ordered, That creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court at said probate office on or before the 16th day of January, A. D. 1939, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, said time and place being hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims and demands against said deceased.

Such state deed will contain a clause reserving to the State of Michigan all minerals including sand, gravel, coal, oil and gas rights, together with the rights of ingress and egress over any of such lands lying along any

Head Amendment <sup>66399</sup> Drive

GAR WOOD

CHASE S. OSBORN

Wood, the noted sportsman, is chairman and former Governor Osborn vice-chairman of the campaign for the adoption of the Good Roads Amendment at the November 8 general election. Amendment No. 8 provides a constitutional guarantee that gasoline and automobile license plate taxes shall be used on highways, roads, and streets.

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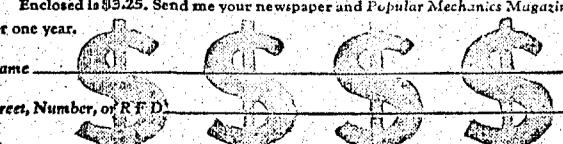
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### Executions Before Dawn

#### Custom of Sunworshippers

It is impossible to say just how dawn became the favorite time for executions. The custom of putting condemned persons to death early in the morning has been prevalent since ancient times, observes an authority in the Indianapolis News. One writer suggests that it may be a survival of the practices of prehistoric sun worshipers who offered human sacrifices to the sun as it rose in the East. Another thinks the practice is of military origin; persons condemned in the military are generally shot as early as possible on the specified day, that is, just as soon as it is light enough for the firing squad to see to take aim.

There are several reasons for following the custom. The day on which an execution is to take place is set by the court; the exact hour is left to the discretion of prison officials. Usually the unpleasant task is performed when it will interfere least with the routine of prison life, which is as early as possible in the day, when the prisoners are in their cells and most of them are asleep.

An execution has an unfavorable influence on all the inmates of a prison and, if the condemned prisoners were electrocuted or hanged during the day or early in the night, their fellow prisoners might be incited to riot. Where executions are public the number of spectators is reduced by having them at dawn.

### Whalebone Not Bone; It Grows on Roof of Mouth

Whalebone is not bone and it has none of the properties of bone. The term is a popular name for an elastic, fibrous substance that grows on the roof of the mouth of right and certain other species of whales.

Whalebone, more properly called baleen, consists of a series of thin parallel plates on the palate and is a horny exaggeration of the ridges found on the roof of the mouth of most mammals. Baleen plates have been known to reach a length of 15 feet, although they seldom exceed 12 feet, even in the largest whalebone whales, states a writer in the Indianapolis News. They take the place of teeth and their function is to strain the water that the creature takes up in large mouthfuls. Because of its lightness, flexibility and toughness, whalebone is used in corsets, stays and other articles for stiffening women's dresses.

Whalers prepare the product for the market by boiling it until it is quite soft and then cutting it into strips of the required size.

Formerly the whale was often confused with the walrus and other sea animals and the expression "white as whale's bone" originally meant white as walrus ivory.

### Battalion of American Deserters

The "El Battalion de San Patricio" or "San Patricio Battalion" also known as the "Legion of Strangers" and the "Foreign Legion" was captured in the battle of Churubusco about August 18-20, 1847, while being led by one John Reilly, a former private of Company K, Fifth United States Infantry, from which he had deserted. Three hundred and eighty prisoners were captured at said battle, 72 of whom were found to be deserters from the United States army, who had taken up arms against the United States to enlist in the Mexican service. All were tried and sentenced by a general court-martial. Reilly was sentenced to be hanged, but the sentence was commuted to 50 lashes with a rawhide whip well laid on the back, branding on the cheek with the letter "D," close imprisonment as long as the army remained in Mexico, and then drumming out of the service.

### Used Animal Skin Bottles

The first bottles were of animal skins which were sewed up. One leg was left open as the bottle's neck. This was closed with a plug or tied with string. Such containers are used for wine in southern Europe, for water in China. Thousands of years ago, says the Washington Post, the Egyptians made glass bottles. They also had them of stone, ivory, bone, porcelain, bronze, gold and pottery. Bottles are made by blowing glass into molds of the desired shapes. Bottoms and necks are finished last. Done chiefly by machinery in the United States, this is an honored hand art in Europe, the secrets of which are guarded jealously by families of craftsmen.

### Coins Stolen by Birds

Gold and silver coins, some of which are valuable, were found by workmen while felling a tree near Cologne, Germany. The tree was a large lime in which storks had for several years made their nests. The men could not ascertain whether the collection had been made by magpies or other birds with thievish tendencies or whether the storks had stored them.

### Police Dogs Motorized

New South Wales is establishing a police dog emergency service which will be available to all parts of the province. Many of the principal police stations will have specially trained dogs to help in sleuthing and rescue work. Special kennels mounted on automobile chassis will speed the animals to places in response to emergency calls.

## DEPT. OF STATE

### STATE NEWS BULLETIN

#### Motorists Protected From Buying Stolen Cars From Other States

To protect the prospective purchaser of used and new cars from out of state, Leon D. Case, Secretary of State, has recently inaugurated a system of checking motor and serial numbers of cars purchased out of state.

Before the title of the car is delivered, the department of state investigators or branch managers make a physical investigation of the car to make certain that the actual motor number and serial number on the car correspond to those on the bill of sale or certificate of registration and title of the former state.

By this method it has been discovered in a great many cases that the numbers do not correspond. In such instances the incorrect number is checked against the stolen car report to eliminate the possibility of a dealer or individual buying a stolen car. If no stolen report is found, it is then necessary for the seller to have his home state correct the error and certify the same before Michigan will issue a certificate of title.

Experience has shown that the average driver has no idea as to whether the motor number on his certificate of title is actually the one embossed on the motor of his car.

#### Notary Publics Total Some 40,000

Every twelve minutes of every working day, Michigan gains another Notary Public. There are now some 40,000 listed in the files of the Department of State.

Appointments are made by the Governor, commissions are issued by the Secretary of State. There are several interesting facts to be found in the records of Leon D. Case, Secretary of State, about this public office which he survived in modern form from a century old practice in England.

More commissions were issued last year than have been previously issued in any one year; the total for the year being 11,205. The average number of commissions issued per year over a ten year period, is approximately 10,000.

The commission term is for four years, except when the notary is removed for cause. There is now one notary for every 125 people in the State of Michigan. Any citizen of the state, 21 years of age or over, endorsed by a Circuit or Probate Judge or a Member of the Legislature may apply to the Governor for a commission.

A fee of \$1.00 which goes to the state's general fund must accompany the application. The commissions are sent to the County Clerks, who notify the applicants. Applicants must then file bonds of \$1,000.00 each and pay the County Clerk a fee of fifty cents. If the bond is not filed within ninety days the commission is withdrawn.

### GLENURQUHART PLAID



This brisk girl looks well in a tailored Glenurquhart plaid. A bright, parrot-colored, quill trims her brimmed hat of brown felt. From her wrist dangles a wooden nickel bracelet.

### POTPOURRI

#### Man Made Port

A vast system of man made locks which hold 30 feet of tide water in the "front yard" of Liverpool, make that city a famous port. When high tide water comes into the Mersey river, the boats come with it. The locks are closed and the ships are secure because the locks maintain a constant level.

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When broiling ham, dot with small amount of peanut butter and allow to melt into the ham before serving.

Use adhesive tape to place your lamp or radio cords around baseboards and corners to keep them out of sight.

Common salt is sure death to slugs. If it is sprinkled about where slugs frequent it will soon exterminate them.

Change the position of house plants from time to time so that all sides of the plants will in turn receive the light.

**SMART MONEY KNOWS WHERE TO GO AFTER READING THE ADS IN THIS NEWSPAPER**

Incidents happen not only where traffic is heavy, but also where traffic is light.

Urge your children to use good judgment on their trips to and from school.

There are two things that you should give your children—a good example and a good education. A good example is also a safe example.

Recently I had a very strange experience. I saw a young child, whom I had just overheard tell his mother that he had been instructed not to cross in the middle of the block, suddenly and literally yanked off the sidewalk in the middle of the block by his parent and marched across the street.

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## LOCALS

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 13, 1938

Miss Eleanor Turnath is driving a new 1939 Plymouth.

Rev. Edgar Flory has been transferred from Elkhorn, Mich., to Princeton, Ind., a city with a population of some 8,000.

It's Planting Time and ideal conditions now! Visit the Nursery to know the better types of evergreens, trees and shrubs and flowers. Charlevoix County Nursery, 6 miles S. E. of Charlevoix (Near Ironton Ferry.) 10-6-4

Nelson Corwin is having his home on Peninsular Avenue stuccoed, adding to its appearance, and no doubt will be a saving on the fuel bill this winter.

Chris Hoesli is adding the finishing touches to a double garage he has built on the property he owns on Park street. Earl Burns and family occupy the property.

The Danish Ladies Aid society will hold a rummage sale at Danebod hall, all day, Oct. 15. 10-6-2

Jess Schoonover says the new Buicks have taken lowered prices from \$51 to \$102 per car, depending on the model. He has one of the 1939 cars in stock.

Corwin Auto Sales are showing a new 1939 Plymouth deluxe coach. It's a beauty.

Here is what you have been waiting for—our Ice Sale, Oct. 19th to 22nd inclusive.—Mac & Gidley, druggists.

Our Christmas greetings are now on display. We invite you to drop in while the line is complete.—Avalanche Office.

The Ladies Aid society of the Michelson Memorial church will have a rummage sale on October 21 and 22, in the church basement.

Grayling Health Unit meeting dates have been changed from the second Thursday of each month to the third Thursday. The October meeting will be held on the 20th at the home of Mrs. Hattie Moshier.

Mrs. Carlton Wythe entertained her Bunco club at the home of Mrs. Floyd Taylor Wednesday evening. High and low scores respectively were held by Mrs. Alfred Hanson and Mrs. Sam Rasmussen. Last week Mrs. Taylor entertained the club and Mrs. Leo Jorgenson and Mrs. Rasmussen carried off the scoring honors.

Mrs. Frances Pawson, aged mother of Mrs. Elrey Waite, passed away at Mercy Hospital at 9:00 o'clock Tuesday night following a lingering illness. The deceased had been a patient at the hospital for several weeks. The remains were taken to St. Louis for interment, accompanied by Mrs. Waite. That was the old home of Mrs. Pawson, however she had made her home with her daughter for several years.

Mrs. Carlton Wythe, Mrs. Albert Knibbs, Mrs. Carrie Feldhauser, Mrs. Hattie Moshier and Mrs. S. D. Palmer attended the state convention of the Ladies National League in Bay City last week. Mrs. Palmer was a delegate from the local organization. Next year's convention will be held in Grayling.

Miss Betty Jane Failing was "sweet sixteen" Sunday and several of her friends knowing that it was her birthday thought something should be done about it, and so went to her home and spent the afternoon. There were games with prizes presented by the young lady and Mrs. Failing served a delicious lunch.

The first and regular meeting of Home Extension Group IV was held at the home of Mrs. Fred Lamm, with 10 members present. The subject read by the leaders was on curtaining and draperies for the home. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. John Mallinger in December, on a date to be announced later.

According to the Michigan Tuberculosis Association the groups hardest hit by tuberculosis are (1) young women between the ages of 15 and 30, (2) men in industry, and (3) negroes. It kills more people between the ages of 15 and 45 than any other disease.

Choice specimens of Blue Spruce; Concolor Fir; Douglas Fir; Scotch Pine, and European Larch are a few suggestions for Fall Plantings. Charlevoix County Nursery (near Ironton Ferry) 6 miles S.E. of Charlevoix. 10-6-4

Mrs. Alex LaGrow had the misfortune to slip and fall on a waxed floor at St. Mary's rectory where she is housekeeper. Saturday and break her left arm at the wrist. Her daughter Miss Yvonne of Detroit came Sunday to be here with her mother for a couple of weeks.

Mrs. Theodore Leslie entertained the Danish Sisterhood at her home in Beaver Creek Tuesday afternoon. After the business session a delicious lunch was served by the hostess, during which Mrs. Leslie introduced her new daughter-in-law, Mrs. Don Leslie, (Marguerite Feldhauser) to the ladies.

The Maple Forest 4-H Community club will hold their exhibit Friday, Oct. 14 at the Maple Forest town hall. Everyone is urged to come and see the exhibits which will be on display from 11 o'clock until 3 o'clock. There will be exhibits of potatoes, livestock, garden produce, canned goods, and food preparation notebook and posters. Come and show your interest in what we boys and girls are doing. Pot luck luncheon at noon. Emma Jean Owen, Secretary.

There are several more cases of scarlet fever this week; among them are Jeanne Hanson, Beverly Bollinger, Edward and Donald Sorenson, Margaret Budd, Jack Perry, Robert Czykoski, Shirley Hall, Marella Peterson, Richard Gildner, Vanda Thompson, and Waldemar Jorgenson. There seems to also be a seige of mumps in town now and among those quarantined are: Frank Horning, Jacqueline Hunter, Bobby Horning, Ruth Decker, Barbara Clough, Christine Sales, Sue Giegling, Barbara Nelson, Margaret Lutz and Albert Williams. The cases are mostly youngsters in the first grade.

Royal A. Wright spent last week in the Upper Peninsula bird hunting. He reports a nice bag.

Astronomers are predicting northern lights sometime this week, as indicated by unusually large sun spots.

Our 10 Sale will take place October 19, 20, 21 and 22. Buy one article and get another for 10c—Mac & Gidley, druggists.

A son Richard Charles, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Chester Lozon at the Henry Jordan home Saturday morning. This is the fourth son born to Mr. and Mrs. Lozon.

For thirty-one years the tuberculosis Christmas seal has made possible the campaign to build defenses against tuberculosis.—Michigan Tuberculosis Association.

Francis Brady left Tuesday for Lansing to report for work at the Olds Motor Works, after being laid off for some time. Recently Jerome Brady was also called back to his work in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lovely are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son Robert Richard, Friday morning at Mercy Hospital. The lad weighed 7 pounds and some ounces.

George Miller Jr., was called back to his work at the Fisher Body plant in Flint Tuesday and reported for work the following morning. He had been laid off for several weeks.

Carl Kriepke, proprietor of the former Gothro barber shop, has rented the Sam Rasmussen apartments on Michigan avenue and has moved his household furniture from Detroit Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Gyde (Donna Griffith) of Higgins Lake, are happy over the arrival of a daughter, Norma Lee, born to them October 8, at the home of the latter's mother, Mrs. Edward Cooper.

The fight against tuberculosis in Michigan is the story of a crusade to protect every home in the state from the White Plague, one of man's oldest disease enemies.—Michigan Tuberculosis Association.

Mrs. Earl Broadbent gave the first lesson of home furnishings at her home Oct. 4 to thirteen members of Group II of the Home Extension course. Guest of honor was Mrs. James G. Leadbeater of Rockaway Beach, New York.

Clyde Peterson has announced himself as a slip candidate for the office of sheriff. At present he is undersheriff for Sheriff Frank Bennett. He will be opposing John Papendick on the Republican ticket and Orel Levan on the Democratic ticket.

According to the Michigan Tuberculosis Association the groups hardest hit by tuberculosis are (1) young women between the ages of 15 and 30, (2) men in industry, and (3) negroes. It kills more people between the ages of 15 and 45 than any other disease.

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Mrs. Theodore Leslie entertained the Danish Sisterhood at her home in Beaver Creek Tuesday afternoon. After the business session a delicious lunch was served by the hostess, during which Mrs. Leslie introduced her new daughter-in-law, Mrs. Don Leslie, (Marguerite Feldhauser) to the ladies.

The Maple Forest 4-H Community club will hold their exhibit Friday, Oct. 14 at the Maple Forest town hall. Everyone is urged to come and see the exhibits which will be on display from 11 o'clock until 3 o'clock. There will be exhibits of potatoes, livestock, garden produce, canned goods, and food preparation notebook and posters. Come and show your interest in what we boys and girls are doing. Pot luck luncheon at noon. Emma Jean Owen, Secretary.

There are several more cases of scarlet fever this week; among them are Jeanne Hanson, Beverly Bollinger, Edward and Donald Sorenson, Margaret Budd, Jack Perry, Robert Czykoski, Shirley Hall, Marella Peterson, Richard Gildner, Vanda Thompson, and Waldemar Jorgenson. There seems to also be a seige of mumps in town now and among those quarantined are: Frank Horning, Jacqueline Hunter, Bobby Horning, Ruth Decker, Barbara Clough, Christine Sales, Sue Giegling, Barbara Nelson, Margaret Lutz and Albert Williams. The cases are mostly youngsters in the first grade.

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### JOHN CORWIN FOUND DEAD

As we go to press we learn that John Corwin was found dead in his bed at his farm home in South Branch township.

Dr. C. G. Clippert attended a medical convention at Saginaw Monday. Mrs. Clippert and Billy-ann accompanied him.

Dr. Keyport has been in Lansing since Monday attending the State Board of Registration in Medicine examinations.

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### Circuit Court Session Was Short

The October term of Circuit court convened at the Court house Tuesday afternoon, with Judge John C. Shaffer on the bench. It was a short session, closing Wednesday afternoon.

Gaylord Knight of Roscommon, charged with violation of the game laws, paid a fine of \$50.00 and costs. This case was appealed from Justice court, but appeal was dismissed leaving judgment from the lower court in effect.

William Emery, also of Roscommon, charged with the same offense, proved that he was not guilty of the crime and the case was dismissed by the prosecutor.

In the case of the People vs. Raymond Jordan, he plead guilty to a charge of felonious assault and was sentenced to pay a fine of \$100 and was placed on two years probation.

The case of William C. Kannula, Verdin J. Pratt, Albert A. Kellel, Joseph S. Lutz, charged with larceny of an automobile,

each was sentenced to pay a fine of \$25.00 and each put on two years probation.

In the matter of the assignment for the benefit of creditors of Marius Hanson, doing business as the Bank of Grayling, an order was entered to make settlement of the C. W. Olsen estate with the Bank.

The Fred Wainwright mortgage was discharged.

The remainder of the cases on the calendar were continued to the next term of court.

### FIRE DEPARTMENT CALLED OUT TWICE

Saturday evening about six o'clock the City fire department was called to the M. E. parsonage to put out a fire that had started in one corner of the garage. Again Sunday morning about 4 o'clock firemen were called out of their sleep when fire was discovered at John Loper's. The barn in back of the house was in flames when the fire department was called, and burned to the ground. Origin of either fire is unknown.

## Furniture Auction

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## Oil Men Oppose Road Fund Diversions

Ratification of the proposed good road's amendment to the state's constitution to dedicate automotive taxes exclusively for road funds was urged last night at a meeting of gasoline dealers and others engaged in the petroleum industry at a meeting at Grayling. The oil men formed the Crawford County Petroleum Industries committee to carry on activities to protect themselves and their motorist customers from unfair taxation.

George Burke of Grayling was chosen chairman.

E. P. Brose, assistant secretary of the state organization, declared: "More than 200,000 public-minded citizens of Michigan have signed petitions for submission to the voters of a constitutional amendment requiring that automotive tax funds be used for their intended purpose, the improvement of roads. The question will appear on the ballot at the coming election and every fair-minded voter, whether he owns a car or not, should vote for amendment number three."

"All that the proposed amendment will do is to give a square deal to the men and women who pay more than \$50,000,000 annually in special automotive taxes," continued Mr. Brose. Those motorists and other highway users also pay all the general taxes. If a part of their special taxes, paid for road improvement, are to be taken for general purposes, as has been proposed recently by certain groups in Michigan, then they will be doubly taxed unfairly as a class merely because they happen to use the highways of the state."

**'Powder Face' In  
Bold Protest**

How a man dead for many years emerged from his grave to halt a timber drive on Thunder Bay River in Alpena county is revealed in field notes of a Federal Writers' Project worker.

The man was "Powder Face" Johnson, a member of the first survey crew in Alpena county back in 1842. Johnson died and was buried, feet to the river, just east of Hillman. There he lay for years on the river bank in the undisturbed peace of the forest—until lumberjacks came to log the rich timber stands.

The loggers were filling rapidly when Johnson again entered the scene. Men who know what it means for Wife to "put her foot down" may understand what it means to the superstitious woods crew to find that "Powder Face" had poked his feet out over the banks as if to bar their way. They refused to work in the vicinity.

A resourceful foreman, however, induced one of the bolder men to hack away the leg-bones with an axe, and the drive was made successfully. Even today the place is known as Dead Man's Lending—a wayside point near a little-used road in Green township.

**A Mountain of Alabaster**

At Volterra in Italy a fascinating sight is the alabaster mountain, and the hundreds of townsfolk who fashion from it the beautiful things which decorate homes and museum collections.

## SCHOOL NEWS

Monday the high school had the pleasure of hearing "Corporal Bob", who was an official army photographer during the World War, address them. He presented a vivid picture of the war as seen by the eyes of a photographer which could hardly fail to leave a deep impression on all who heard him speak.

**Football**

In the revamped Senior Football League, Michigan has beaten Ohio twice by the scores of 27-7 and 12-6. Members of the Michigan team are: Peterson, Deckrow, Heribson, Welsh, Dunham, Ruthowski, McDonnell, Bowen, and Jenson.

Members of the Ohio team are: Kraus, Lovely, Smith, McClain, Jankowski, Sorenson, Gorman, Coutts, and Ruthowski.

The Junior High Football League has been reorganized into two teams, the Lions and the Bears. Members of the Lions are: R. Thompson, Hatfield, Gierke, Rasmussen, Case, Mogo, Kolka, K. Entsminger, Kornosky, Wainwright, and E. Sorenson.

Members of the Bears are: Clark, Andrus, Markby, Bennett, S. Thompson, Stevenson, Giebling, K. Johnson, Fairbotham, and Nelson.

The football teams will play every other night. So far, we have had some lively games and if the leagues continue to improve we will have some real football at hand.

Standings of the game program, 3:15-4:00:

**Girls**

|          |   |   |
|----------|---|---|
| Team     | W | L |
| Borchers | 2 | 0 |
| Smith    | 2 | 1 |
| Peterson | 1 | 2 |
| Weiss    | 0 | 2 |

**Boys**

|         |   |   |
|---------|---|---|
| Team    | W | L |
| Smock   | 2 | 0 |
| Gildner | 1 | 1 |
| Annis   | 1 | 1 |
| Gierke  | 0 | 2 |

Result of games:

|       |                        |
|-------|------------------------|
| Girls | Weiss 11; Smith 19.    |
| Boys  | Peterson 22; Smith 41. |

|      |                     |
|------|---------------------|
| Boys | Annis 16; Gierke 7. |
|      | Gildner 8; Annis 4. |

The possibilities of a good sized band for Grayling High School is growing as new members are continually enrolling, almost every day. At present one out of every five students in the upper six grades is enrolled in the musical organization which began to take form less than six weeks ago.

The band is divided into four groups, each meeting once a day, and at present are deep in the fundamentals of the respective instruments. In a few days the groups will begin to work on some music playable in public performances.

Following are the names of the players and their instruments:

Clarinet—Ed Funk, Yvonne Bradley, Jean Stevenson, Delores Case, Pat Roberts, Jack Redhead, Kathryn Charron, Betty Parsons, Ruth Stevenson, Laurence Cady, Zina Stephan, Alberta Knibbs, Yvette Stephan.

Cornet—Frank Jenson, Norma Parker, Rose Mary Charron, Bob Tiffi, Franceline Malloy, Sandy Thompson, Allen Stevenson, Raymond Andrus, Billie Hensley, Teddy Cody.

Alto Horn—Robert Entsminger, Keith Entsminger, Junior Woods, Baritone—Richard Rasmussen, Vernon Rasmussen, Robert LaChappelle.

Trombone—Clifford Parker, Leon Johnson.

Bass Horn—Bernard Palmer, Kenneth Johnson, Gerald Barger, Saxophones—Charles Fletcher, Shirley Young, Alfred Hanson, Jack Church, Jeanne Hanson, Pat Montour, Arnold Tebbets.

Drums—Frances Whipple, Marvin Nelson, Monica Brady, Shirley McDaniels, Norman Parker, Gerald Burns, Nell Welsh, Marie Malloy, Laura Rasmussen, Chas. MacNamara.

**THE DESTROYER**

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When cruisers are not present in sufficient numbers, destroyers are used to scout, screen and act as escorts for unarmed or weak vessels.

Destroyers are also armed with depth charges for the purpose of attacking submerged submarines.

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**Health & Hygiene****EXERCISE AND HEART DISEASE**

Advising a busy executive to shut his office for a brief period each day in order to stroll through country lanes is like suggesting to an habitual toper that, really, milk is very palatable when one becomes accustomed to the taste.

Both suggestions are likely to fall on deaf ears. Yet, he who seeks emotional stimulus from the conflicts of modern business as well as he who endavors to elevate the spirit by application to the bottle is likely to pay dearly for his indulgence, in poor health and shortened life span.

Medical science works no miracles. It stands helpless before the fact that deaths from heart failure are steadily increasing within the most socially valuable strata of the population. Obituary notices too often allude to "the directing brain of the vast organization." And for a long while it was believed that, somehow, brain work threw a strain on the heart, curtailing many a useful life. "He worked himself to death" is still a commonly employed phrase.

Recent investigations, however, have proved this hypothesis to be in error. "He sat himself to death" now seems to be nearer the truth. For study of mortality statistics shows that farmers and manual workers are not nearly so subject to coronary occlusion—stoppage of the blood flow to the heart—as are those in sedentary occupations. In fact, those who live and work on the farm may expect to live about five years longer than those of the same age group who work in the city.

In many respects the motor car is the greatest blessing of the twentieth century. From a health standpoint it may be ranked among the greatest curses. Use of the automobile for the execution of even the most trivial errands has eliminated much of the ordinary daily exercises necessary to maintain the tone of the heart vessels and heart muscles.

Hardening of the arteries is a natural accompaniment of advancing years, but the process is greatly speeded up by an urban, sedentary mode of life. Generally, too, this manner of living promotes the accumulation of body fat which throws a further strain on the heart.

Too many middle-aged men awaken to a sudden realization of their condition and resolve to "do something about it." What is done usually hastens an unnecessarily early death. Strenuous games of golf played once a week or several times a season, fatiguing hunting trips undertaken by those with incipient angina pectoris or arterio-sclerotic heart disease almost certainly serve as passports to the beyond.

A saunter of a mile or two daily, a round or two of golf, a gentle morning canter—practices begun in the late thirties or early forties and religiously adhered to—are of inestimable benefit in offsetting the curse of too much civilization. But to adopt such a regimen suddenly in later life is to invite a health hazard which the physician is powerless to avert.

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**CARD OF THANKS**

We wish to extend our sincere appreciation to our friends and neighbors for comforting words and floral offerings, during the short illness and death of our mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Laage and Family,  
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Blom, and Family.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Widax, of Grosse Isle, also Mrs. Widax's father and her nephew, were up to their cabin over the weekend preparing for the opening of hunting season.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Rockefeller left last week for California where they will spend the winter.

Lansing—The idea of January will soon be here, and with them a bag of legislative problems will be dumped into the laps of newly elected or re-elected senators and representatives.

Like the old Yule trade cry of only so many days before Christmas is the capitol calendar which reckons coming events according to the approach of the 1939 legislative session. And judging from the items already on the docket, Michigan lawmakers face a lengthy ordeal.

Here are some of the pressing matters:

**Tax Revision**

Revision of Michigan tax structure is likely.

The dog racing bill was passed by the Democratic house in 1937, only to meet defeat in the senate. The slot machine bill proved to be too daring, however, and it went down. A group of legislators, headed by Rep. John Hamilton of Detroit, favor outright licensing by the state of gambling. Hamilton was a member of a special legislative committee that traveled about the state to focus public attention on this issue.

**Unemployment Compensation**  
The present exemption in the state unemployment compensation law, whereby employers with eight or less employees do not have to pay a state tax, was an issue in the 1937 session. Frank Picard, chairman of the unemployment compensation commission, favors extending the benefits to all employees regardless of the present exemption.

**Old age pensions**  
Old age pensions are also under pressure for revision, critics maintaining that the present level is inadequate. The \$30-every-Thursday plan has blown up, as far as we have been able to determine. The federal government's action through federal reserve board in declaring such state warrants unconstitutional and unacceptable put a wet rag officially on this movement.

But politicians are still mindful of the success here and there of the Townsend crusade. If business conditions improve in 1939, old age pensions may be revised upward.

**Civil Service**

Although the new civil service law strictly forbids solicitation of political funds from state employees, political figures are doing their best to circumvent it.

While the virtues of civil service are being proclaimed, the hat will be passed politely. A donation will be considered another way to prevent unemployment.

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We wish to express our sincere appreciation to our friends and neighbors for their many kindnesses during the illness and expressions of sympathy at the passing of our mother, with special thanks to Rev. Fr. James Moloney and Dr. Stanley Stealy.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Boyes,  
Mr. and Mrs. Claude Cardinal.

Name Marianne of Hebrew Origin  
The name Marianne in its various forms is of Hebrew origin and means "bitter grace."